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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed 25 October 2004, the applicants' attorney submits the following Preliminary Amendment, which supersedes the Preliminary Amendment dated 23 January 2004 in its entirety, and requests reconsideration of this application.

Prior to the calculation of filing fees for the above-referenced continuation application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.